

BEFORE THE POLICE BOARD OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO

IN THE MATTER OF CHARGES FILED AGAINST)
POLICE OFFICER MAHMOUD SHAMAH) No. 08 PB 2688
STAR No. 11476, DEPARTMENT OF POLICE,)
CITY OF CHICAGO,)
RESPONDENT.) (CR No. 312983)

ORDER

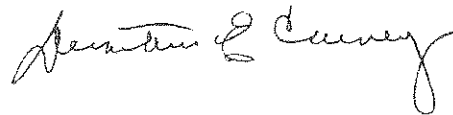
On May 21, 2008, the Superintendent of Police filed with the Police Board of the City of Chicago charges against Police Officer Mahmoud Shamah, Star No. 11476, recommending that the Respondent be discharged from the Chicago Police Department for violating several Rules of Conduct (a copy of the charges and specifications is attached hereto as Exhibit A).

On October 7, 2008, the Superintendent moved to withdraw the charges against the Respondent, with leave to reinstate, because the Respondent resigned his position with the Department of Police of the City of Chicago.

The Police Board of the City of Chicago, having considered the Superintendent's motion to withdraw the charges against the Respondent, with leave to reinstate, hereby orders that the Superintendent's motion is granted.

DATED AT CHICAGO, COUNTY OF COOK, STATE OF ILLINOIS, THIS 16th DAY OF OCTOBER, 2008.

Attested by:



President
Police Board



Executive Director
Police Board

CHARGES

Police Officer Mahmoud Shamah, Star Number 11476, is charged with violating the following rules contained in Article V of the Rules and Regulations of the Chicago Police Department, which were in full force and effect on the date of the alleged violations:

- Rule 2: Any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals or brings discredit upon the Department;
- Rule 6: Disobedience of an order or directive, whether written or oral.
- Rule 51B: Failure to cooperate when called to give evidence or statements by any investigative branch or superior officer of the Chicago Police Department or the Police Board when the evidence or statement sought relate specifically, directly and narrowly to the performance of his official duties.

SPECIFICATIONS

1. Police Officer Mahmoud Shamah, Star Number 11476, is charged with violating Rule 2, "Any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals or brings discredit upon the Department," in the following instance:

Count I: On or about October 22, 2007, Officer Mahmoud Shamah failed to report to the Internal Affairs Division to give his scheduled statement and/or refused to cooperate with the Internal Affairs Division investigation of Complaint Register Number 312983, thereby impeding the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals or bringing discredit upon the Department.

2. Police Officer Mahmoud Shamah, Star Number 11476, is charged with violating Rule 6, "Disobedience of an order or directive, whether written or oral," in the following instance:

Count I: On or about October 22, 2007, Officer Mahmoud Shamah failed to report to the Internal Affairs Division to give his scheduled statement and/or refused to cooperate with the Internal Affairs Division investigation of Complaint Register Number 312983, in violation of General Order 93-03-02B.

3. Police Officer Mahmoud Shamah, Star Number 11476, is charged with violating Rule 51B, "Failure to cooperate when called to give evidence or statements by any investigative branch or superior officer of the Chicago Police Department or the Police Board when the evidence or statements sought relate specifically, directly, and narrowly to the performance of his official duties," in the following instance:

EXHIBIT A


Count I: On or about October 22, 2007, Officer Mahmoud Shamah failed to report to the Internal Affairs Division to give his scheduled statement and/or refused to cooperate with the Internal Affairs Division investigation of Complaint Register Number 312983, after being informed of the Administrative Proceeding Rights and Charges/Allegations pertaining to conduct during the execution of a search warrant.

Based on the foregoing charges and specifications, the Superintendent recommends Police Officer Mahmoud Shamah, Star Number 11476, be discharged from the Chicago Police Department.



JODY P. WEIS
Superintendent of Police

APPROVED AS TO FORM



KATHLEEN O'NEILL
Assistant Corporation Counsel
Labor Division

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